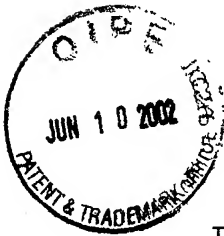


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This paper is being mailed on May 29, 2002 in response to the Office action mailed March 29, 2002. Please receive the enclosed formalized drawings, which are in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.

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